Amaya User Manual

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This manual presents the Amaya user interface for Unix and Windows platforms. Your user interface could be a little different depending on your system and unique configuration. It is not a complete user manual. Its purpose is only to help users to discover the main features of the software. This document is organized as a book and you can use the **Make Book** command to build and print the whole manual.

Many commands in ***Amaya*** are the same as those provided by common word processors and editors. They are not presented here. Only ***Amaya*** specific aspects are described.

Starting Amaya

To start ***Amaya*** on a Unix platform, type:

```
amaya [-display host] [document]
```

The parameter [-display host] is optional. It defines the remote host screen where Amaya should display Web pages. If you omit this parameter, Amaya displays on the local host screen.

The parameter `[document]` is optional. It is the file name or the URI of the first document ***Amaya*** should display when starting. If you omit this parameter, a Amaya displays a default document. The default document could be your **home page** (see how to **configure your Home Page**) or the Amaya Welcome page.

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